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FIRE SWEEPS VALLEY

Boyes Springs, Famous Summer Resort, Leveled By Flames

Sonoma Vista and Woodleaf Park Prey of Conflagration

Community Mourns Robert A. Poppe, Pioneer Attorney

Son of Prominent Sonoma Valley Family Succumbs to An Attack of Heart Failure.

On Friday night of last week, near 7 o'clock, Robert A. Poppe, prominent attorney and distinguished member of the Sonoma County Bar Association, succumbed to heart trouble after an illness of but a few days. His devoted wife, Mrs. Annie Poppe, was with him when the end came and his daughter, Mrs. Emilie Grinstead, arrived shortly before her loved parent breathed his last.

Mr. Poppe had devoted himself assiduously to his practice up to the time he was stricken, although specialists had warned him of the seriousness of his heart condition. Conscientious in his work and devoted to his clients, he "carried on" until the end. At the time of his death he was president of the Board of Managers of the State Home at Eldridge and the welfare of the State's unfortunates was among his first thoughts at all times. For years he had been a prominent figure at the Home and was known and beloved by patients, attendants and officials as the true friend of the big institution.

Robert Poppe was the second son of Mrs. Catherine Poppe and the late J. A. Poppe. He was born in San Francisco in 1856. When a young boy he developed the traits of an ernest student and his father not being able to interest him in farming, decided to educate him for a profession. He took to the study of law and won marked honor at the University of California from which he graduated in 1879. He was ever devoted to his Alma Mater and frequently attended reunions of his class, where he mingled with ex-Governor Pardee, Hiram W. Johnson and other prominent men with whom he had chummed in his college days.

Politically Mr. Poppe was regarded as a leader and was affiliated with the Republican party, in whose conventions he always took a prominent part. Educationally the Sonoma lawyer was also prominent and did everything within his power to foster the schools of the community throughout his useful years. He personally devoted himself to work on the local boards of education and co-operated at all times with faculty and students for the upbuilding of both primary and high school courses in Sonoma Valley.

Fraternally Mr. Poppe was affiliated with the Masonic Order and in the Native Sons of the Golden West he was a prominent factor and was proud of the state of his birth. He had a deep reverence for tradition and was naturally a historian and a curator of historic data and relics. He was a practical Christian, believing in the golden rule and the precepts of religion. While not affiliated with any church, he was a respecter of all churches and a consistent believer in all the good religion fosters in the world.

Robert A. Poppe had rounded out years of splendid fruition and accomplishment and in his passing the community lost a substantial citizen of high ideals and one who will long be remembered.

He is survived by his widow, one daughter and aged mother; two brothers, Charles Poppe of Glen Ellen and Julius Poppe of Sonoma, and two sisters, Mrs. Kate Buchan and Mrs. Emma Small.

The funeral took place Sunday afternoon, Rev. Cookman conducting the services at the Poppe home. Judge Ross Campbell of the Sonoma County Superior Court and Senator Herbert Slater paid tribute to the deceased in beautiul eulogies. There was a wealth of floral offerings.

Monday the remains of the late lawyer were taken to San Francisco for cremation.

RUMORS OF DEATHS IN FIRE UNFOUNDED

The stories concerning Cavedale and Triniti fire sufferers and victims were exaggerated to the point of reported deaths in the flames. Early Tuesday the rumor was current that aged Mrs. Mary Hicken, blind mother of the Cavedale mail carrier, had wandered away in an effort to get out of her fire swept home and had been incinerated. No truth was in this story. The mail carrier, himself a cripple, brought the feeble old lady to the Cannobio home at Caliente, where she was kindly cared for. Mrs. Hicken, mother of Miss Beatrice Hicken, has been at the Goldstein ranch, following the destruction of her home.

The Hathaway family of Triniti, who at first could not be located and who were feared to have lost their lives in the fire, were finally discovered at the home of friends over the Napa county line where they had fled for protection.

Fearing that some family might be hemmed in by the mountain fire, Walter Stuermer, Jack Paulson, George Cavaglia and Fire Warden Murray made a dash through the wall of fire Tuesday and arrived just in time to fight the flames back from the Triniti post office which they saved. Coming out, they raced the fire all the way down the canyon and at times the crackling flames were right upon hem, consuming all the upholstering i nthe back seat of Stuermer's car.

These brave scouts ascertained that no one was trapped in the hills and that several reported missing had managed to make their way to a place of safety.

Dumb Animal Saves Own Life In Fire

A pitiful story of how a dog in the Triniti fire saved his ilfe although chained up and unable to escape as the flames approached him is told. With the instinct of self-preservation the dog, unable to break his leash, dug himself into the ground and when dog house and post burned away, he managed to escape.

Although badly scorched, the dumb brute will recover. His master was away from home and could not get back through the fire to rescue the dog, so it is said.

List of the Homes and Buildings Destroyed

The following is a partial list of losers in the fire, with no record of losses in Sonoma Highlands and other tracts:

Boyes Springs

Boyes Hotel and cottages	Woodleaf Store
Boyes Theatre	F. Maley Box
Cabanot Bldg.	Ball Alley
Post Office	Maffei Bros. Meat Market
Kramer Store	L. F. Lambert Drug Store
Depot	Bob Liaros Barber Shop
Club House	Wagner's Store
Boyes Garage	Long's Taxi Station
Sunset Garage	Getchell
Borando's Restaurant	Klatz
J. W. Minges 14 cottages	Brown
S. E. Button 6 cottages	Peterson
Fire House	Shaeffer
Boyes Lumber Company	Smith
J. T. Colford Market	Ann Isadore
Thomson & Baines Bldg.	The Madrid
	Goad
	Boynton
	Parramore

Sonoma Vista

Olson	Ostrum
Donovan	Gowdy
Peters	Decker
McDonough	Morris
Stuermer	Fergonia
Steinkamp	Frerary
McLaughlin	Johnson
Kravitz	Club House
Beach	Kulls
Uphouse	Siske
Wild	Ecker
Tobin	Orintz
Hayes	

Woodleaf Park

Mrs. McDonald	Gibbons
Mrs. Whiting	Duffy Lewis
Mrs. Bride	Cabanot
Capt. Dorn	Baines
J. McLeod	Button
J. W. Minges	Levy
McDonnell	Burns
Driscoll	Lysett
McCarthy	Lewis
Nelson	Rochat
King	Shepard
Gibson	

Caliente Park

Spitzfaden	Parker
Evans	Sykes
Knudsen	Hughes

Triniti District

L. Bryant	O. L. Young
T. Smith	G. Parker
M. A. Phelps	J. Nylund
F. Hathaway	Triniti School
Mrs. Doratti	Mrs. Landis
J. A. Kent	Seabold
Curtis H. Hoz	R. Snell

Cavedale

B. Hicken — Henderson

Beck

VINEBURG AND HYDE TRACT WERE MENACED

The falling of high power wires near the Vineburg school house corner last Sunday night during the wind storm almost caused the loss of the school building, homes nearby and in the Hyde Tract. Fortunately, the sputtering of the wind-tossed wires was observed and as the big wire fell and set fire to the grass, volunteers rushed to the scene and fought back the flames from the gum tree grove across from the Hyde Tract entrance which was a nearby menace.

Considerable fencing and some vines and trees were destroyed. Fearing the spread of the fire, Chief W. B. Cause was later summoned and came at 2 o'clock a. m., with the chemical engine and checked several threatening blazes.

SONOMA VISTA SPIRIT

The Sonoma Vista Improvement Club will rebuild as soon as the insurance is collected, bigger and better than before.

Mr. and Mrs. Beach will rebuild at once. Wm. Steinkamp will sink a well preparatory to rebuilding.

Boyes Hot Springs Hotel Will Be Rebuilt; Citizens Give Benefit Tonight For Fire Chief Cause

Fire, fanned by one of the worst gales in the history of Northern California, got away from men burning out bees just over the Napa County line Sunday and by nightfall was sweeping down Nuns Canyon toward Sonoma Valley with terrifying rapidity. Ranchers of the Triniti District realized the danger and rallying all available fire fighters, battled in the face of the windstorm to fight back the flames from their homes. After putting up a futile battle until after midnight the Frazier family and Mrs. Durotti and children fled down the mountainside in their Ford cars. Three Frazier brothers remained at the ranch to make a last stand to save their home, while the fourth brother, James, raced to safety with his mother, Mrs. Durham, the school teacher of Triniti and daughter, and Miss McNamara of San Francisco. They reached Glen Ellen to find that the fire had beaten them and was raging by that time close to the Harry Weise ranch where farmers of that neighborhood were fighting to save their homes. Frazier, sensing the danger to the entire Sonoma Valley, came on into Sonoma and turned in a fire alarm. He also notified Fire Warden Murray and asked for help. Many volunteers responded, but despite the army of men who stayed on the trail of the flames, the fire demon and its ally, the north wind, jumped the county road early in the forenoon and began to sweep the valley toward Glen Ellen, Spreckels, Madrone Vineyard and Agua Caliente.

A second fire alarm was sounded at noon and every available fire fighter hurried to protect the big property which was now plainly in the gravest danger in the upper section of the Valley. The State Home at Eldridge put every available boy to work fire fighting. Business houses in Sonoma closed their doors and sent all their employees to the scene of danger; the high school boys were conscripted for service and with their men teachers re-inforced other young men and valiant heroes of the hour, such as the firemen of Sonoma and Boyes Springs.

Fire Halted at Spreckels

The concentrated prompt action halted the progress of the flames. The Lark at Agua Caliente was saved. The Madrone Vineyards were protected. The State Home and the Spreckels Ranch were relieved of the great danger which had beset them, although 80 acres of the Spreckels Ranch was burned over. Superintendent Pat McDonnell, with formidible assistance, headed off the fire before it reached the heavy timber and thick brush which would have spelled the doom of all property on the west side of the mountain, including the Sonoma Valley Golf and Country Club, the Merz Ranch, Hall, Pohm, and other places. The Spreckels ranch blaze was apparently caused by a burning pine cone or leaves swept across the valley by the gale and still burning, torch-like.

Breaks Out Back of Springs

The crisis seemed passed at 2:30 but like a serpent ready to spring, the fire crept into places of vantage and abated just enough to gather renewed fury and in no time was raging in the canyons just back of the summer resort section of Agua Caliente Park, Fetters, Sonoma Highlands and Woodleaf. Chief Cause, who had been fighting fire throughout the night from Vineburg to Glen Ellen, was in the midst of the danger zone, battling every menace. Hundreds of citizens now battled the fire all along the line and by nightfall, after a valiant fight in which a few losses occurred, including the Spitzfaden Resort, the Evans, Knudsen, Parker, and Sykes cottages and the Hughes barn, the situation was thought to be improved. It was only the beginning of the holocaust.

How Boyes Springs Burned

In the interim of supper time, as vigilance was somewwhat relaxed by fatigued and nerve-wracked firemen, the wind, with renewed fury, fanned up a mighty torch which it hurled down the gap between the foothills of beautiful Woodleaf Park and the famed Boyes Springs. The whole settlement was instantly ignited. The flames broke out everywhere. With a cry of horror, people fled from their homes, some with belongings packed in anticipation of catastrophe, some with nothing but the clothes they wore; guests rushed from the big hotel, many unable to get their suitcases and bags; business people left all behind them, fleeing from their stores to save their lives.

Flames Reach Sonoma Vista

Fed by countless shingled bungalows and cottages in Woodleaf Park, by rows of stores and the big Boyes Springs Hotel, the flames leaped high in the air, jumping from one building to another, from one side of the road to the opposite and finally swept across the creek to Sonoma Vista, where it licked up row after row of small summer homes.

Emergency calls had been sent to all surrounding cities for help and Petaluma and other cities responded. The N. W. P. fire train crew aided and the Pacific Gas and Electric Company sent a large number of men. Chief Murphy of the San Francisco Fire Department dispatched two chemicals and one pump engine, 1700 feet of hose and 12 men to the scene of disaster. They arrived to see the beautiful summer resort section of Sonoma Valley leveled and danger past, for the wind, which died out at 10 p. m., saved other springs, El Verano and Sonoma.

Freaks of the Fire

By chance and the freakish nature of the wind, some homes were miraculously passed by untouched by the fire, while others close to them crumpled like paper. The former Cabanot Resort escaped, as did also the home of Jim Post, Captain Burgess, Miss Mayme Kelly, two Minges cottages, and Klein, Walker and Dr. Raney. The Sonoma Valley Restaurant and Hotel was afire several times, but Sam Ganos fought like a Trojan and succeeded in putting out the fire as it repeatedly attacked the two-story frame structure, which was saved; Joe Ryan's stable also escaped, the only two business houses now standing on the highway at Boyes Springs. The big Boyes bath house did not burn, nor did Benedetto's barber shop or Stuermer's Garage.

As the people of Fetters Springs saw the fate of Boyes and the fire in an "L" shaped path sweep toward them over the Sonoma Highlands tract, they rallied all their forces and at the stone culvert near the Sonoma Valley lumber yard halted the flames.

Frenzied refugees rushed hither and thither with their possessions or those of neighbors, seeking safety from the burning area. Automobiles and trucks of all descriptions brought people to Sonoma, El Verano and other nearby places where they took refuge in hotels and at the homes of friends.

Havoc Wrought Everywhere

At 10 o'clock the wind calmed and the fire having spent its freakish fury, died down and was beaten out where it flamed up here and there with ominous effect. But Boyes Springs, beloved by thousands, was gone. The hotel, which was the center of social life and recreation, was a blackened mass of ashes. The little theatre, where music and laughter held sway the night previous, was only a memory. The N. W. P. depot and pretty grass plot were obliterated. The picturesque club house was no more; the pretty Woodleaf Store, the busy lumber yard, the new business block, the favorite stores and shops, the good eats places, garages, private homes along the highway and 20 bungalows in the orchard back of the hotel, all were leveled. The Rochat home, with all its costly furnishings was a $10,000 loss. The Ann Isadore $6000 bungalow burned, and Duffy Lewis' home.

The railway trestles had taken fire and burned away from the rails. The trains could not proceed up the valley but by morning constructions crews were already at work rebuilding while passengers were transferred around the burned area.

Fire Sufferers Good Losers

The morning after disclosed a desolate picture, bbut the fire had done its work well. The ruined district was swept clear of all debris. The ground was almost ready for rebuilding, and rebuliding was on every tongue. Stout hearts had these losers. Among them, B. Cabanot, who lost heavily both of business and residence property, said:

"We made it all at Boyes Springs. We started with nothing and can start again."

Mayor J. W. Minges says:

"My plans are not settled, of course but Boyes Springs will be rebuilt more symetrically and substantially."

Early Tuesday a telegram came from the Boyes Springs Hotel Company, as follows:

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EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

Bill Wyatt, E. and H. Wyatt were at Tomales Sunday, on a fishing expedition and succeeded in catching the limit. The also had fine luck digging clams.

Barny O'Neil, former sleuth and bad man catcher, has returned to the Lombard Ranch and has taken over the foremanship. Barny is an all around man and should make good.

Passengers on the southbound S. P. train Monday morning saw a large herd of deer, composed of bucks, does and fawns, near Kenwood, which had been chased out of the mountains by the fire.

Chief of Southern Pacific Engineers Parker of Oakland, who 25 years ago was a fireman on the Santa Rosa division, arrived at El Verano Sunday morning to take in the Elks' oyster bust at the Bates Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kroeger of Seattle, Wash., have arrived and will be the guests of their son, W. J. Kroeger, and wife during their stay here. The party will make an auto trip to beautiful Yosemite Valley, where they will spend several days.

Tommie Worthein and Sam Howe, internationally famous broncho busters, and champions, are resting up on the Caufield Ranch in the wilds of the western foothills, both having been injured in recent rodeos. They are speedily recovering, however, and will soon be riding again.

Louis Lamotte of the El Verano Villa, has left for San Pedro by auto, to spend several days.

A. Swensson was a week end business visitor in San Francisco.

Harry Prince, clever entertainer and singer, who has been doing his stuff at the Tavern, Verano, after a successful season, has left for Reno, Nevada, to look over the pony races. From there he will go to his winter engagement in Tia Juana, Mexico. Prince has many friends in Sonoma Valley and his absence will be regretted.

The indoor sports of El Verano who picked Firpo to beat Dempsey at New York City last Friday evening have quit talking fight, while a few of the wise ones are collecting the bets they placed on Dempsey.

Milton Peterson was on a bicycle tour of Sonoma County, taking in the different cities and enjoying the trip.

Misses Doris Nonella and Helen Dickman of San Francisco were week end visitors at the Nonella home.

Clarence Cramer has accepted a position with the Pacific Gas and Electric Company at San Rafael, and was in town Sunday meeting the natives.

A number of dyed-in-the-wool Elks who are natives of El Verano, attended the oyster bust and entertainment at the Bates Ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnstone of San Francisco were guests at the Minkel home over Sunday.

Mrs. Baker, principal of El Verano school, and Miss Howard, teacher at the Watmaugh School were passengers on Friday evening's train for the City of Roses.

The death of Colonel Robert Poppe of Sonoma last week came as a great shock to his many El Verano friends. Colonel Poppe, a pioneer, was well known and loved by all. Many of his life long friends attended the funeral services at Sonoma Sunday.

Dave Forni, and W. Johnson are on a motor trip to San Luis Obispo, Dave's native city. He has not seen the old home town for 20 years, having come to El Verano when a small boy. The boys will also stop off at other places of interest on their trip.

Grape picking is in full swing and the first carload, billed to Oklahoma, was shipped from Agua Caliente last week.

John Dowdall, well known El Verano dairyman, motored to Alameda Saturday, visiting other bay cities. He returned home Monday evening.

Tom Sperry of San Francisco was visiting old acquaintances in El Verano Sunday. Sperry is now a San Francisco barrister, having passed the examination recently.

Miss N. O'Brien has returned to her home after a several days' stay in San Francisco, where she has been receiving medical attention.

Willie Locarnini was an interested spectator at the Hippodrome in Napa Sunday evening. He enjoyed the show, particularly the pretty actresses.

Albert Rossi was a week end visitor in Oakland, making arrangements with S. P. officials to again enter the service as a switchman.

Dr. Summerfield, Santa Rosa veterinary, was a recent business visitor here. The doctor renewed old acquaintances while in El Verano and says he made good with his prize stock at the recent state fair.

Miss Jackson, former superintendent of schools of Napa county, has accepted the position as assistant principal of schools at El Verano.

Mrs. John Fleming has returned after a shopping and pleasure visit in San Francisco.

J. Signorelli, who recently returned from a visit to his old home in Italy, has contracted his grape crop to a New York buyer, he having stopped over in tht big city on his way home to make the deal. The grapes will be shipped from El Verano over the line of the S. P.

Deputy Sheriff Bob Dickson was a Santa Rosa visitor here last Friday morning.

Billy Sutter, of the Presidio, San Francisco, was the guest Sunday at the Sutter home.

L. Mouyer of Verano had a narrow escape Monday night while moving a large sawing machine which he feared would be consumed by the fire, at the time rapidly approaching his house. Mr. Mouyer fell from the seat of the machine and was dragged for some distance, owing to the failure of the horses to stop. Although badly shaken, Mr. Mouyer is now able to be around.

Mrs. Rose Pensar, proprietor of Our Resort, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Jessie, have left for Idaho to look after property interests and visit old time neighbors. They will be gone a month.

Joe Krause and Frank Farmer, pioneer aborigines, enjoyed a real old time pow-wow at Agua Caliente last week. The boys were passengers on the southbound Friday morning S. P. rattler, after having been guests of the old redman himself, Gabriel Sears.

The breaking of the neck yoke on the team driven by Bill Thayer, who was unloading lumber here Monday, caused the horses to run away. The teamster, Bill Preston, stayed with the wagon and held the reins until one of the animals became tangled in the harness and fell. While the harness was later being untangled, the fallen horse started kicking, and badly lacerated the second finger of Thayer's right hand. He was rushed to the office of Dr. Hays in Sonoma, where the injured member was dressed. Mr. Thayer is improving now, although the wound was quite painful.

El Verano narrowly escaped being wiped off the map Monday night, along with other nearby residences and towns in Sonoma Valley. The fire swept into Sonoma Vista from Boyes Springs, consuming almost every building and then burned the Dave Forni ranch house, formerly the Riser place. About this time, the wind, which was blowing from the north, calmed down, saving the town from being swept by the flames. Residents here left their homes and business places, loaded what they could in automobiles and departed. Many of the Boyes Springs and Sonoma Vista refugees also made their way down the S. P. tracks. An extra train, in charge of Conductor Carlos Emparan, was sent out to pick up several carloads of lumber and a large tank car of vinegar, which were taken down to Schellville for safety. The sudden calming of the wind was all that saved El Verano from being destroyed, as the dairy ranch house which burned was within a short distance of Mullen's store. Residents along the creek were kept busy extinguishing flying sparks which threatened their homes. Kearney's green tomato patch stopped the fire and saved El Verano Villa. Sonoma Vista, Boyes Springs, Caliente Park and the eastern foothills are the hardest hit by the fire of Monday night, and the path of the fire presents a most desolate appearance and is said to be one of the worst fires in this part of the state.

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34 x 4	Cord	21.80	2.80
33 x 4½	Cord	27.80	3.50
34 x 4½	Cord	28.90	3.55
36 x 4½	Cord	29.65	3.80
33 x 5	Cord	33.90	3.95
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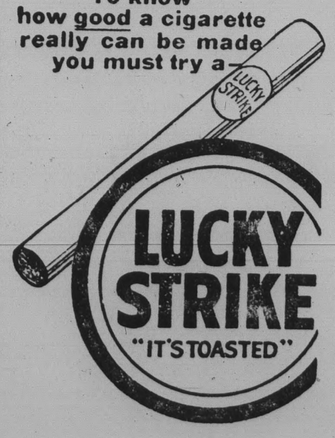

A BIGGER AND BETTER BOYES SPRINGS

The future of Boyes Springs?

Not a soul who knew the intrinsic worth of the Springs doubted it for a moment, even though the ground was swept of the pretty homes, the big hotel, the business houses, the theatre and the railroad station, so familiar to all of us before the fire.

For Boyes Springs will live and grow and thrive and be better and bigger than ever!

It came into being on genuine merit the quality of its mineral springs, the good of its climate, the charm of its location in one of the most beautiful vaelys in the world. It flourished in the face of the greatest odds—antuquated, miserable roads. Yet people thought enough of Boyes Springs to come to it despite the bumps and ruts, and to remain there and build themselves homes. They came to love Boyes Springs. They loved it even though accommodations were not up-to-date, though it lacked city conveniences and was just a country retreat. The charm of Boyes Springs is the call of the great out-of-doors to health and recreation. What Sonoma's mineral water and climate have done for thousands, they will continue to do for thousands more and where these health seekers and lovers of vacationing gather, will be a community, the hub of which will be the big new hotel, already pledged by the Boyes Hot Springs Hotel Company.

How soon will Boyes come back?

Just as quickly as the state comes through with the new highway from Schellville to Santa Rosa. The future of Boyes Springs and the entire Sonoma Valley is contingent upon the completion of this highway which will give the public access to this great playground of the cities, this empire of health and homes. The highway is to be the foundation of Sonoma Valley's real growth.

The Boyes Springs we have known before will be nothing to the Boyes Springs of the future, bigger and better and more beautiful than ever.

Those who pioneered the way, who blazed the trail into Boyes Springs long ago who had the courage to invest their money there made good. They took a chance. They had faith in Boyes Springs. Now that it has been demonstrated that this loyalty does command the attention of the outside world, that it can and did succeed, that its health-giving qualities are appreciated, that its accesibility appealed, even with poor roads, its future is evident. Shrewd investors will not be slow to appreciate these facts and if there are any hesitating hearts among the losers in the big fire, there will be others to come in quick to take on the job of rebuilding Boyes Springs.

Forty-five miles from San Francisco, with good roads open to travel spring, summer, fall and winter! Don't worry, accommodation will be provided for all who want to come whether for a week end at the big new hotel or an outing at a country home. These accommodations will be modern. The butcher, the baker, the jolly leg-shaker, all will be back there soon, selling their goods, fox-trotting, the fire forgotten.

The Index-Tribune extends sincere sympathy to all who were burned out and pledges help and cooperation in every way possible to hasten the rehibilitation of the progressive community comprising Boyes Springs and Sonoma Vista. The impetus their live-wire citizenship has given the progress of Sonoma Valley will never be forgotten and is not under estimated.

BOYES SPRINGS

Bath House Still Open

DANCING

TOMORROW AFTERNOON

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Bigger and Better Boyes Springs

OPEN AIR MASS AT BOYES SPRINGS

Tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m. mass will be celebrated by Rev. J. F. Byrne on the lawn in front of the Boyes Springs Hotel site.

MAYOR J. W. MINGES COMES UP SMILING

Mayor J. W. Minges of Boyes Springs, the grand old man of that now desolate section, looked upon his big loss with a philosophic smile on Tuesday morning. He had been a big property owner, with a number of furnished cottages and restaurant at the Springs. His property was wiped completely out and he lodged Monday night at the Sonoma Valley Restaurant and Hotel.

"Yesterday I owned thirty beds," said the Mayor, "and now I haven't a place to lay my head." He drew a badly burned bandanna from his hip pocket. "Well, I saved this, anyhow," said the Mayor, "and I've got a few dollars laid by, so why worry?" Seventy-eight years old, but his courage undaunted.

Mr. Minges was among the pioneer discoverers of Boyes Springs as a summer resort section and was the first builder of furnished cottages to rent. He was burned out once before and promptly rebuilt.

"Boyes will rise from the ashes again," says Mr. Minges. "Fire can not rob us of our mineral springs, our climate and the whole-souled people who abide here. No siree!"

Mrs. A. E. Cromwell, former prominent Glen Ellen resident, was here from San Jose for the funeral of the late Attorney Poppe.

THE CHIEF'S BIG BENEFIT TONIGHT

Tonight at Coney Island the big benefit will be held for Chief Cause. It is being put on by the Chief's friends, arrangements for the pavilion and entertainment being made by prominent business people who comprise the arrangements and finance committee. Harry Fine, leassee of the big pavilion has donated its use and Perkins Orchestra will furnish the music. Already several big ticket sales have been made including $50 worth to Louis Parente who is housing the fire engines and has offered Chief Cause a suite of rooms at his big hotel.

NOTICE TO FIRE LOSERS

My companies have lost $21,000.00 by the conflagration around Boyes Springs and in order to come to a prompt settlement with my patrons, I invite all affected by the fire to call or correspond with me as soon as possible, so as to be posted on the titles of their properties and know where to get them at the proper time.

I offer all my sincere sympathy.

L. MOUYER,
El Verano, Cal.

Mrs. Vera Buchan Harbort is here from Florida having been summoned by the tragic death of her brother and the pending operation on her son Robley Harbort who is at the Shriners Hospital in San Francisco.

MRS. SUSAN WHITING LOST HOME, SAVED BIRDS

Mrs. Susan Whiting lost her beautiful cottage, Rocky Haven, in the fire at Woodleaf Park. Assured there was no danger, she returned from supper at the Woodleaf store and hardly got into her house before the glare of the fire warned of the fast approaching flames. The lights all went out. Groping in the glare, she rescued her parrot and canary bird and fled the place. Her jewelry, $200 in currency and other valuables packed ready to take out were left.

Mrs. Whiting, widow of the late Northwestern Pacific railroad official, is no longer young, but she managed to make her way to the road with her pets where she was picked up by a passing auto and brought to Sonoma Big hearted strangers pressed money into her hand as they helped her into the auto which brought her here and a gallant young man who escorted her to the Plaza Hotel paid for her night's lodging, asking the proprietor to be kind to her as she was an old lady. Later Mrs. Whiting was located bby Sonoma friends and taken to their home. She is very anxious to ascertain the names of the gentlemen who came to her assistance and will appreciate it if they will communicate with this office.

Mrs. Gill of Tiburon, a relative, and Mrs. Potter of San Francisco, a friend came to Sonoma Tuesday and accompanied Mrs. Whiting back to the city.

POSTMASTER WAGNER NOW AT NEW STAND

Postmaster E. A. Wagner of Boyes Springs has set up the post office at the Sonoma Valley Resaurant and is accommodating all patrons there.

LAMBERT ACQUIRES CANDY BUSINESS

L. F. Lambert has bought out the Lutgens candy store, Mrs. Lizzie Lutgens will retire after a long and successful business career. Her son Adolph will take a vacation at Tahoe.

SAN FRANCISCO BALL CLUB AIDS CHIEF

The members of the San Francisco base ball club who played with the Seals and often trained at Boyes Springs, have a warm place in their hearts for Chief Cause. When they heard he wanted to go to the Fire Chiefs' Convention in old Virginia, they went to the bat and made up a purse of $30 to help put over the trip.

Here is the nice letter received from H. S. Ellison of the club and the list of the boys who gave their dollar to the good Cause:

"San Francisco, Sept. 16, 1923.

"Mrs. W. Murphy,

"Sonoma Index-Tribune.

"I am enclosing a check for $30.00 towards helping the fund to send Chief Cause to the Fire Chief's Convention at Richmond Va.

"This donation is from the players of the San Francisco base ball club and the list of those donating to the Dollar Fund is as follows:

"Charles Baum, H. S. Ellison, D. McSweeney, A. Kemp, Andy Ferguson, George Stanton, Phil Tanner, Pat Shea, Gene Valda, Ray Flashkamper, Pete Kilding, Harry Courtney, Paul Warner, Joe Kelly, Sam Agnew, Denny Carroll, Tim Hendryx, Tim Buckley, Clarence Hodge, Oliver Mitchell, Hal Rhyne, Del Walsh, Pete Ritchie, Ray Carhan, Pete Compton, George Putnam, Bob Geary, Jim Scott, Doc Strubb, Charles Graham.

"Very truly yours,
"H. S. ELLISON."

AT THE HIPPODROME

"Merry Go Round," the production which is considered one of the outstanding successes of the screen, will be presented in Napa on next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Advance reports state that the picture took New York by storm and during its run in San Francisco broke all records for attendance at the Imperial Theatre, having played there for eight weeks.

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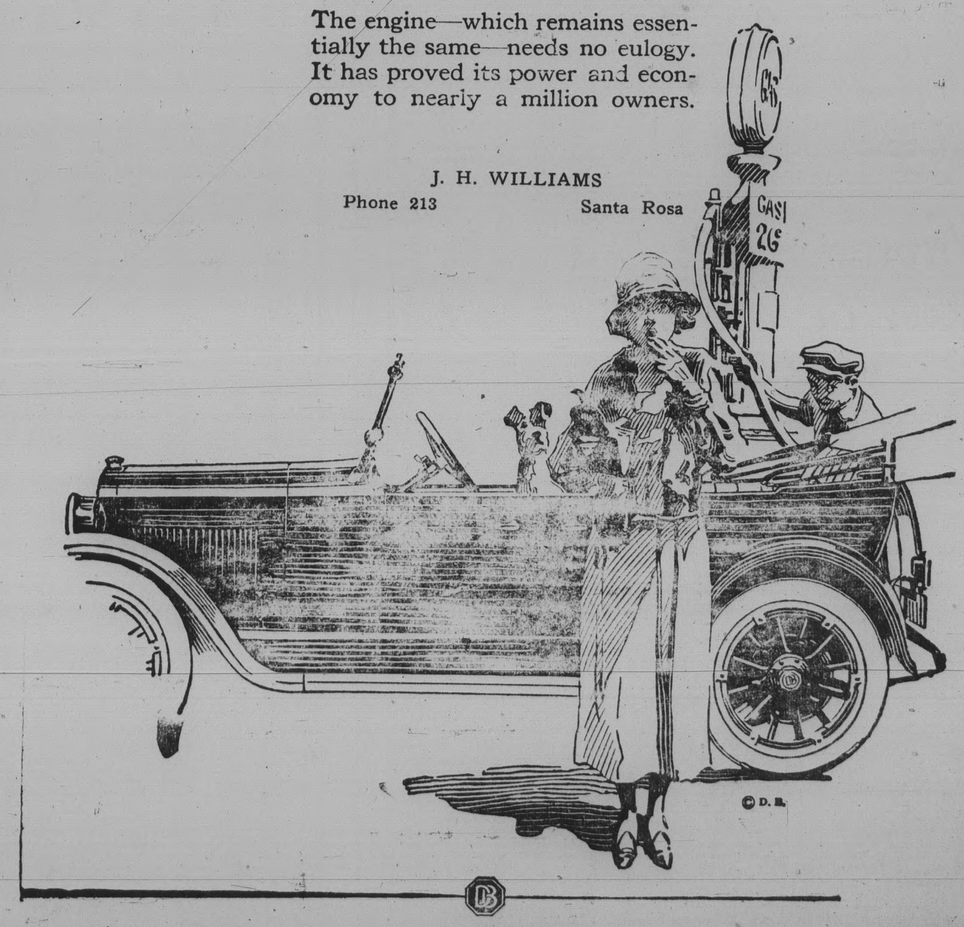

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HOWARD SPRECKELS GENEROUSLY AIDS

"Sept. 20, 1923.

"Fire Chief Cause,
"Sonoma Co., Calif.

"Dear Chief:—

"Allow me to congratulate you upon your splendid work during the late fire in our Valley and more particularly please accept the most sincere thanks from the Spreckels family for your invaluable help in saving our property.

"As I am not familiar with all those who so willingly volunteered and whose untiring efforts checked our fire, may I ask that you express to them also our heartfelt thanks.

"I am deeply sorry for your own great loss and enclose a check, which I trust will tide you over.

"I have not as yet heard if there has been any organized body formed to give aid to those who have lost their homes. If any such organization has been formed, please let me know as I am most anxious to contribute through some effective means to the comfort of those who have been left homeless.

"Sincerely yours,
"HOWARD SPRECKELS."

N. W. P. WILL REBUILD THE DEPOT AT BOYES

President Palmer and W. McMullen of the Northwestern Pacific came up to Boyes Springs the day after the fire and pledged the rebuilding of the depot bigger and better than ever. The railroad officials told R. G. Lichtenberg of Boyes Hot Springs that as soon as the new hotel architecture had been decided upon the Company would build a depot of the same type.

The hotel is to be rebuilt at once on the same site, so Mr. Lichtenberg states, while the Mission Inn project will go on as before the fire.

YES, HE HAD NO BANANAS, BUT HAD WATERMELONS

Steve Samniotis, a Greek vegetable and ruit peddler, had his truck take fire near the Springs Monday and realizing the danger, stopped and threw a huge watermelon on the blaze. The wicktd fire was quenched and now Steve says watermelons are a first class fire extinguisher.

One of his customers asked him why he didn't grab a bunch of leeks. With this question the Greek grabbed an onion, wept a little and then asked Sam Ganos to write to Art Hickman, thusly:

"Please invent a new song, 'Yes, We Got No Watermelon Today,' a smashing success."

VERANO LADY CATCHES EYE OF THE ENGINEER

Mrs. Borgwardt of Verano was late starting for church Sunday, so she took a short cut up the railroad track with her red parasol shading her from the hot sun. The engineer of the morning train saw a glaring red object on the right of way ahead and took it for a danger signal. He stopped the train. Mrs. Borkwardt emerged from her red umbrella.

"You've got 'em all faded," said the N. W. P. trainman.

"Your cowcatcher don't like red, does it?" said Mrs. Borgwardt.

Then she went to church and prayed for the "safety first" engineer.

NOTICE

Having sold our store to L. F. Lambert, we hereby give notice that we will pay all bills up to and including September 15, 1923, and will collect all outstanding accounts up to the above date. We wish to thank the public for their generous patronage and trust that the same consideration will be given our successor.

LUTGENS & CO.

BOYES LUMBER CO. ORDERS TEN CARLOADS LUMBER

H. W. Greene, manager of the Boyes Springs Lumber Company, did not let the ground get cold before he was in communication with his firm and arranging to have 10 carloads of lumber and other supplies shipped to Boyes to replace the big stock.

"'Zip service' is our slogan," says Greene, "and we are giving it right now, filling orders from the Vallejo yards until our stock arrives."

VISITS FRIEND HERE

John E. Yowel of San Francisco visited here over the last week end with his friend, R. L. Stanleigh, with whom he traveled over the greater part of the United States a few years ago.

Mr. Yowell has been in Los Angeles the past two years, where he has been a pupil of Sedgley Brown, preparing to become an actor. Mr. Yowell expects shortly to appear at one of the leading theatres of San Francisco.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to the people and to our friends who so kindly helped us save our property from being destroyed.

Bacigalupi & Canobbio.

RETURNED TO FIND HOME BURNED

Colonel Parker of Fetters Springs and John Murphy of Agua Caliente returned Wednesday from Mokalume Hill where they went through a big forest fire scare and were in the midst of one of the wildest conflagrations ever recorded in that mountainous country. The two old vets of the Navy said it was too much of a thriller for them.

They were the recipients of real California hospitality at the old mining town and brought back some fine figs from the Maasberg Brothers' mineral springs ranch.

Colonel Parker arrived here to find his little home back of Fetters a heap of ashes. He had lost everything in Monday's fire but the clothes he wore—old clothes he had worn on the trip.

MUSICIANS SUFFER LOSS

The Moon Valley Orchestra of E. Perkins lost all their musical instruments in the fire as they were filling an engagement at Boyes Springs Theatre. The boys were about to go on a concert tour and their loss is heavy.

EL VERANO HAS NARROW ESCAPE

El Verano had a narrow escapt from the fate of Sonoma Vista when D. Forni's house took fire. Had the barn burned, other places would have quickly been ignited. The Nonella and other families in the vicinity desire to thank all who helped them on the dreadful night.

WE DON'T KNOW IT ALL

BUT IF YOU KNEW WHAT WE KNOW YOU'D SAY: "I AM GOING TO HAVE FOOT COMFORT FOR THE REST OF MY DAYS."

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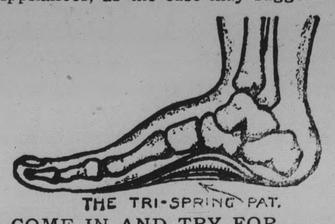

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CHARGES for your electric Service depend in part on the character and length of dams, tunnels, flumes, ditches and transmission lines. Many other factors, such as the existence of industries to carry the daylight load and the number of customers and their distance apart, affect the rates you pay. Power itself at its source costs but little.

An explanation of the importance of these different factors will help you to understand why rates vary in different sections. Ask about it at the local P G and E office.

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30x3½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$14.45
31x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$18.60
32x3½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$18.10
32x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$20.45
33x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$21.15
34x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$21.70
32x4½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$26.55
33x4½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$27.15
34x4½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$27.80
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34x5	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$33.90
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FORD GARAGE

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A NARROW ESCAPE

Julius Fochetti, Jr., had a narrow escape from death while on his way to the fire Monday night. The Bartoli car, which he was driving, went into a ditch with Fochetti under it. The car burned up, but its driver managed to extricate himself.

CONTRACTING FIRM OPENS OFFICE AT BOYES

C. F. Schuetz and Horace L. French prominent building contractors of San Francisco, will open offices at Boyes Springs. French is manager of the Harvey M. Toy properties here and in San Francisco. Se ad.

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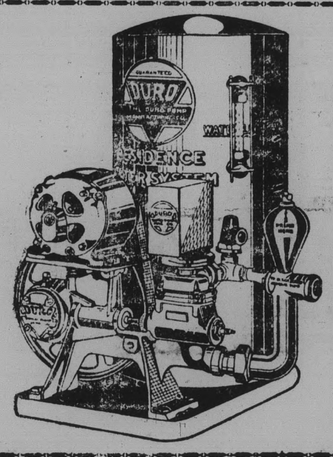

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(Continued from Page One)

"San Rafael, Cal., Sept. 18, 1923."

"Sonoma Index-Tribune,

"Sonoma, Calif.

"We extend our deepest sympathies to those who have suffered with us in last night's devastating calamity. We have the utmost confidence in the stability of Sonoma Valley and will at once rebuild finer and better than ever. Please publish.

"BOYES HOT SPRINGS,

"Thomas P. Boyd, President

"R. G. Lichtenberg, Mgr."

The fire house it to be rebuilt at once. The bell donated by Mrs. Whiting and the engines were saved.

There remains yet a nucleus for a bigger and better Boyes Springs. The Mayme Kelly bungalow was saved after the garage was swept from it. The big resort of E. Peters is doing business at the old stand; the pretty residence of Jim Post, Miss Mullen, Captain Burgess, Kottmeyer, Mrs. Tom Lewis, Mrs. Walker, Sweeney, John Mullen, O'Brien, Mrs. Dolan, Whalen, P. Chige, Ferrier and a few others yet remain.

With the coming of the new state highway property owners plan to lay out new streets, grade their property lines and plan a model little city second to none in California.

Tonight is the big benefit at Coney Island Pavilion for Chief Cause, who lost everything but the khaki suit he wore while fighting to save the property of others.

The benefit is being arranged by the following committees:

Tickets—L. S. Simmons, William Clewe, Ray Hunter, J. Gottenberg and Jep Valente.

Music and Entertainment—Charles Perkins, Harry Prince and Bob Fillipini.

Refreshments—Mrs. W. Stuermer.

Ticket Booths—Mrs. Rose Bartoli, and Mildred Erickson.

Check Room—Mrs. Dal Porto.

Printing and Advertising—Sonoma Index-Tribune and Expositor-Forum.

THANKS TO FIRE FIGHTERS

To all who came to the aid of the Spreckels Ranch which was endangered by the fire starting there on Monday, I am deeply grateful, as is also the superintendent of the ranch, Pat McDonnell. We desire to thank the volunteer firemen one and all, friends and neighbors from Sonoma, Boyes Springs, Fetters, Agua Caliente, El Verano and Glen Ellen, and the State Home for the splendid and effective team work which stopped the fire.

HOWARD SPRECKELS.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

We desire to thank the many neighbors and friends who came to our assistance during the fire of Monday morning and were largely responsible for saving our home and others from destruction.

Harry Weise and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all those who came to our assistance during the recent fire and helped save our homes in Caliente Park.

George Stickel and Family,
W. F. White.

DEATHS THIS WEEK

Walter McAndrews of Eldridge, son of Pat McAndrews, once famous stage driver, died at his home on the R. P. Hill ranch Monday. He is survived by several brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Adeladie Rutledge Savacool, member of a prominent Sonoma county family and former resident of Sonoma, died in Berkeley this week and was laid to rest Thursday.

Ex-Mayor P. H. McCarthy of San Francisco, whose home at Sonoma Vista escaped the fire, was up yesterday and made a nice donation to the Fire Chief. Mr. McCarthy predicts a wonderful future for the new Boyes Springs.

Boxing

The Sonoma Valley Athletic Club will conduct its first boxing show at the Coney Island Pavilian next Friday night, Sept. 28. The main event will be Charlie Miller of Agua Caliente and Jack Wills of Sonoma. Charlie is starting his comeback in the hopes of getting a match will Willie Meehan, Firpo and other leading heavyweights. Wills is the famous Sonoma colored boy.—adv.

BENEFIT FOR THE FIRE SUFFERERS

The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club turned its twenty-second birthday anniversary party into a benefit for the fire sufferers last night. It was a very successful affair and proceeds will go to the needy.

DONATIONS TO FIRE CHIEF CAUSE

The following subscriptions to Fire Chief W. B. Cause have been received to date at this office and deposited in the Valley National Bank:

$100.00—Howard Spreckels
$30.00-San Francisco Baseball Club
$10.00—P. H. McCarthy
$5.00—Thos Green, C. C. Champlin.
$2.50—Louis Holz
$2.00—Mrs. Hayes
$1.00—John F. Green, Sandy Campbell, Emma Green, Col. Hawkins, Doris Smith, Major Barker, Anne Isadore, Laura Adams, Minnie White, Mrs. O'Connor, Eric Blomgren, Mrs. M. Caselli, Mrs. Mary L. Lane, Larrie Alteno, W. M. Grundy, W. H. Bush, A. Finchum, Mrs. E. Garvin, Mrs. J. Fanning, Steinkamp Resort, Steinkamp Bros., Wm. Tobin, Mrs. W. Stuermer, Mr. McBride, J. Towmey, J. Colford, A. Borando, Thos. Cook, J. F. Shepard, R. Barbee, N. Kramer, J. W. Minges, W. L. Murphy, Mrs. A. Pinelli, R. E. Perkins, M. Schweitzer, Mrs. M. Schweitzer, B. F. Keechler, Morris Levy.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends for their many kindly expressions of sympathy and respect in our recent bereavements.

Mrs. Anna Poppe.
Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Grinstead.

SPECIAL NOTICE

The Sonoma Vista Whist Party will be held in the rest room of Boyes Springs Bath House on Saturday night, Sept. 29th. 5-6

Dr. J. P. Lowe the Optrometrist of Ukiah, will be in Sonoma October 4th at the Union Hotel. Call and see him if your eyes trouble you. 5-6

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Julius E. Poppe, who has been ill is improving at his home here. He had an operation for a growth on his hand and also suffered from a bad case of hernia.

Mrs. Lolita Schweitzer closed her country home here Monday for the summer season and returned to San Francisco where she did splendid work rallying help for Sonoma Valley's big fire. Early in the day, Mrs. Schweitzer tried to get assistance from the outside, realizing the fire's real danger.

Howard Spreckels came up from San Francisco following the reports of the fire reaching his ranch and was most grateful to find that the firefighters had saved the property with all its natural beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steinkamp of Sonoma Vista, whose resort was a complete loss have been stopping at the home of their friend, Mrs. Rosa Randolph.

Dr. A. M. Thomson wired Tuesday from Lawson, Mo. for details of the fire. He had heard the press reports of the disaster to his home valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hansen, who have been spending the summer in the mountains and at Feather River, have returned home. Mr. Hansen is much improved in health.

Leland Adler, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Adler has entered the Field Military Academy at Palo Alto.

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Santa Rosa, Cal., August 13, 1923

The Board met this day at 10 o'clock a. m., in regular monthly session. All wembers present, Chairman King presiding.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved as read.

A delegation of citizens from Petaluma appeared before the Board and made a plea for decrease in taxation.

Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma County that the California State Automobile Association, Inc., is authorized and ordered to erect not to exceed 36 metal road signs on roads and highways of said County, the California State Automobile Association to maintain and keep said signs up for five years at its own expense. Sum of $4.50 per sign to be paid by Board of Supervisors to said Association for erection of signs.

Resolved, that assistance be given [illegible] District for repairs to bridge at Lee Noble's Ranch on the Skaggs Springs and Stewart's Point Road. Cost not to exceed $371.00; $366.00 to be paid from General Fund and $5.00 to be paid from Fifth Road District Fund.

Regular business transacted.

Adjournment taken until August 14. 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m.

SO ORDERED.

Santa Rosa, Cal., August 14, 1923

The Board met this day at 10 o'clock a. m. All members present, Chairman King presiding.

Delegation of citizens from Dunbar, Glen Ellen and Le[illegible] Guilicos School Districts appeared before the Board protesting against taxation relative to Dunbar Joint School Districts. Said matter referred to District Attorney.

Mr. Sinclair of Lakeville appeared before the Board and asked them to use influence in getting aid from the State to exterminate coyotes, etc.

At 1:30 o'clock p. m., bids were opened and read for construction of steel truss bridge across Austin Creek at Watson Station, as follows:

W. L. Proctor—Lump sum of $12,085.00. To completed on or before January 1st, 1924, lump sum of $12,885.00.

R. Dress Smith—Lump sum of $15,000.00, to be completed by January 1, 1924. If completed by July 1, 1924, will build same for $14,000.00

Bid of W. L. Proctor for construction of steel truss bridge over Austin Creek near Watson Station accepted as follows: Lump sum of $12,885.00 for completion before January 1, 1924.

Whereas, a petition has been filed this day with this Board praying for abandonment of certain streets, avenues, etc., in Analy Township, Second Road District, as shown by map entitled "Map of Subdivision of Tracts 40, 41, 42 and 43 of Green Valley Ranch on El Molino Rancho," recorded in office of County Recorder.

Resolved, that notice of hearing of and on said petition be and is hereby set for September 12, 1923, at 11 o'clock in rooms of Board of Supervisors, Court House, Santa Rosa, Cal. Publication as by law required.

Howard W. Goodman is hereby appointed Constable of Washington to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Fred C. Ogle.

Resolved, that claim of Jack Tucker for $5.00 filed with County Auditor on July 18, 1922, be and same is hereby rejected on account of not being legal.

The sum of $114.00 is hereby transferred from the Second Road Fund to the Third Road Fund to correct error.

Regular business transacted.

Adjournment taken until August 15, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m.

SO ORDERED.

Santa Rosa, Cal., August 15, 1923

The Board met this day at 10 o'clock a. m. All members present, Chairman King presiding.

A delegation of citizens from Villa Grande appeared before tht Board and requested said Board to accept Villa Grande Road and to levy a special road tax to maintain same.

A delegation of citizens from Petaluma and vicinity appeared before the Board and petitioned that the Petaluma-Olema Road from the city limits of Petaluma to the Marin County line, about four miles in length, be placed in a better condition for travel

Whereas, there has been heretofore issued to Sonoma County by State Compensation Insurance Fund two policies,

Resolved that said two policies be combined in one policy, and said Compensation Fund having issued for benefit of Sonoma County, and delivered to County Clerk Policy N C 28,746 C 3,

Further resolved, that said policy be accepted and the two former policies issued to Sonoma County be returned to the State Compensation Fund.

At 11 o'clock a. m., the hour heretofore set, the following cars were sold at public auction:

One Ford to F. W. Coats for $55.00.

One Buick to Jackson-Rodgers Buick Company for $650.00.

W. L. Cunningham, acting auctioneer.

Regular business transacted.

Adjournment taken until August 16, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m.

SO ORDERED.

Santa Rosa, Cal., August 16, 1923

The Board met this day at 10 o'clock a. m. All members present, Chairman King presiding.

Resolved, that position of Superintendent of Court House and Engineer held by C. D. Stevens be and the same is hereby declared vacant, beginning September 1, 1923.

Resignation of Clifford Gray, Constable of Ocean Township, be and same is accepted. Said resignation is to take effect immediately.

N. B. Quigley is hereby appointed Constable of Ocean Township to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Clifford Gray. Said appointment to take effect immediately.

The following applications for State Orphan Aid filed with the Board this day are hereby approved:

Mrs. Florence Lewis.
Mrs. Lillian T. Fees.
Mrs. Kaia Jacobsen.
Mrs. Ernesta M. T. Ferrari.
Julia Eatherton.

Whereas, E. A. Peugh, County Surveyor, has this day filed with this Board his written report on construction of Bridge on Valley Ford-Freestone Highway, with changes amounting to deduction of $128.80,

Resolver, that same be and is hereby accepted for and on behalf of Sonoma County.

Old bridge lumber belonging to Sonoma County sold by F. A. Lowell to Attilia A. Fiori for $10.00.

Resolved, that applications for cancellation of Certificate of Tax Sale No. 373 for 1922, and Certificate of Tax Sale No. —— for year 1922, double assessments, be and same are hereby accepted, and

It is hereby ordered, that the County Auditor of Sonoma County be and he is directed to cancel the said Certificates of Tax Sales.

Whereas, Rudolph Haas has conveyed to the County of Sonoma a right-of-way of 40 feet wide across his lands for highway purposes, with the understanding that County of Sonoma would deed to said Rudolph Haas certain lands not needed by Sonoma County,

I move that the Chairman of this Board be and is authorized and directed to execute in the name of Sonoma County a deed of conveyance for said lands to said Rudolph Haas.

Resolved, that county exhibit of Sonoma County in the Ferry Building, San Francisco, be and same is discontinued and abandoned from and after August 31, 1923. The Clerk of this Board is authorized to notify the California Development Board of said discontinuance of said county exhibit.

Resolution of respect to the memory of Associate Justice Albert G. Burnett passed this day by the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma County.

It is resolved, that a copy of said resolutions be and same is hereby ordered spread upon the minutes of this board, and an engrossed copy of same be forwarded under the Seal of this board to the bereaved widow and family.

Regular business transacted.

The Board adjourned to meet August 21, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m.

SO ORDERED.

Santa Rosa, Cal., August 21, 1923

The Board met this day at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment. All members present, Chairman King presiding.

The following persons were recommended as traffic officers:

Thomas A. Farquar at a salary of $225.00 per month.

Elbert E. Wells at a salary of $225.00 per month.

Resolved, that O. E. Bremner be and he is hereby appointed Horticultural Commissioner of Sonoma County for the term of four years from and after August 21, 1923.

Resolved, that the claim of R. M. Bonar, M. D., in the sum of $35.00 be and the same is hereby rejected on account of not being legal.

Regular business transacted.

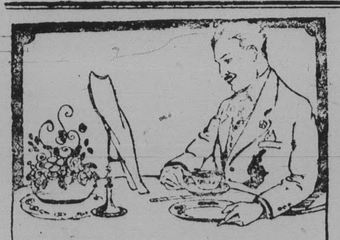
At this session of the Board claims were considered and passed on various funds as follows:

Indigent Fund	$ 6,044.89
Salary	529.70
Tax Redemption	29.94
Highway Construction	3,224.38
General	60,452.61
So. Sonoma Mosquito Abatewent Fund	268.00
First Road	2,202.27
	2,219.94
	4,907.95
	1,402.41
	879.30

At 3:30 o'clock p. m., on motion of Supervisor Lowell, seconded by Supervisor McMinn, the Board adjourned to meet September 11, 1923, at 10 o'clock a. m.

SO ORDERED.
WILLIAM KING,
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma County, State of California.

Attest:
W. W. Felt, Jr.,
Clerk.



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Dr. George Millerick, who was taking a prominent part in the Pony Express and went to Reno to arrange for the big event, was taken down with appendicitis while there and has been quite ill.

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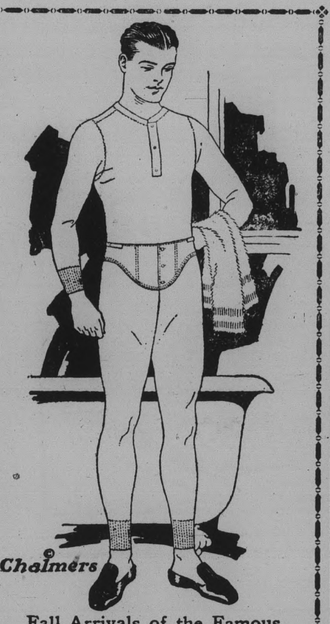

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* 7:45 a. m.	* 8:30 a. m.
8:30 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
9:15 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
10:00 a. m.	10:45 a. m
10:45 a. m.	11:30 a. m.
11:30 a. m.	12:15 p. m.
12:45 p. m.	1:00 p. m.
1:00 p. m.	1:45 p. m
1:45 p. m.	2:30 p. m.
2:30 p. m.	3:15 p. m.
3:15 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
4:00 p. m.	4:45 p. m.
4:45 p. m.	5:30 p. m.
5:30 p. m.	6:15 p. m.
6:15 p. m.	7:00 p. m.
7:00 p. m.	7:45 p. m.
* 7:45 p. m.	* 8:30 p. m.
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SANTA ROSA PAYS TRIBUTE TO COLONEL R. A. POPPE

Sunday afternoon at the old family home in Sonoma, funeral services were conducted over the body of the late Colonel Robert A. Poppe, many old time friends assembling there to pay the last respects.

Among the friends attending the funeral from Santa Rosa were Superior Judge Ross Campbell, Charles O. Dunbar, a fellow member with Poppe on the board of managers of the Sonoma State Home, and Senator Herbert Slater, another member of the board, Medical Superintendent Fred O. Butler of the Home also attended.

In Judge Thompson's department of the superior court Friday formal announcement of Poppe's death was made, at which time a committee under Judge Campbell was appointed to draft resolutions of respect. Court was adjourned in honor of Colonel Poppe's many years' connection with the Sonoma County Bar Association.

GRAPE PRICES IN EAST ARE GOOD

Reports received by the California Grape Growers' Exchange regarding prices received at auction for wine grapes indicate very satisfactory prices thus far. Auction sales of the Alicante Bouschet, a red variety of wine grape, netted the grower $143 per ton. The gross sales were $216 per ton or $2.70 per lug box.

Sales of Zinfandel grapes in the Pittsburgh auction district on a basis of f. o. b. California shipping points, brought the growers $75 to $83 per ton. Consignments of Petit Syrah variety on the same basis sold at $93 a ton.

An embargo declared over the Erie rail lines into New York against all fresh fruit shipments, an embargo likely to last several days, will have the effect of greatly hampering, if not suspending California fruit trains into that metropolis, according to reports received in the wholesale market recently.

Refrigerated fruits may be shipped into New York by other lines but the Erie line is the only direct route to the auction tracks, and shipping by other lines means for or five days' delay while the cars are being shunted from other sections to the auction center.

This embargo, caused by congestion in New York, will mean the loss of thousands of dollars, it is feared, to grape growers who are now shippings as high as 800 carloads daily to eastern markets.

On September 10 a total of 854 car loads of grapes were shipped from California to eastern centers.

Otto von Geldern, of San Francisco, who spent his boyhood in Sonoma and was raised wwith the late Robert Poppe, was here for the funeral of his lamented friend. Mr. Von Geldern has recently recovered from a serious accident incurred when he was struck by a motorcycle.

Editor Will Boyd of the Sausalito News, one of California's up to date weeklies, was in Sonoma Sunday with the Elks and while enroute to the barbecue paid the editor of the Index-Tribune a pleasant call.

The many friends and patients of Dr. E. Z. Hennessey will regret to hear that his rondition has been most serious since his return from a San Franrisco hospital. Dr. Hennessey's trouble has developed into dropsy.

Garnet Holme, author of the Sonoma Mission Play, and one of California's foremost play writers and producers, has sailed for England, where he will spend three months. He sends greetings to his Sonoma friends.

Professor Bruce Painter of the Petaluma High School came over to attend the Poppe funeral Sunday. Professor Painter taught in the Sonoma High School when Colonel Poppe was a trustee and they were close friends.

Mrs. Birdie B. Larkin of Oakland came up to take her father, Mayor Minges of Boyes Springs, home with her Wednesday, but the Mayor was insistent that he stay at Boyes and look after his interests there.

DR. HAYS' SISTERS' BERKELEY HOME BURNED

Dr. W. B. Hays received word on Monday that the home of his sisters was consumed in the great fire which swept the college town. Here is what the Petaluma paper said of the disaster at the Misses Hays residence:

The beautiful home of Misses Mabel and Bertha Hays in Berkeley was destroyed by fire last night when hundreds of homes in the vicinity of the university were destroyed. The Misses Hays were formerly residents of Petaluma and are daughters of the late Rev. Hays, having resided here most of their lives. After leaving, they purchased the home in Berkeley which they converted into a boarding house and which was the headquarters for Petaluma students attending the university.

Marcus Hardin, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hardin of Sonoma mountains, who roomed at the home, lost all his personal belongings, as did other Petalumans. Among those who made their home with the Misses Hays are Miss Elrose Beggs, Lawler Drees, Darrell Drees and Marcus Hardin. Mr. Hardin telephoned his grandparents Monday night telling of the fire. He had to go to Oakland to telephone, Berkeley being cut off on account of the fire. He also stated that several of the fraternity houses were destroyed and the students lost all their belongings. As far as known, the Petaluma students are safe.

MOURNERS ARE AT HOME

Mrs. Kate Buchan accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Buchan, widow of Ralph Buchan and little son arrived here from San Diego Tuesday. The body of the young navy man has not been recovered.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who were so kind as to help us during the fire, and especially Dr. Butler, for all the help from the institution; also Mr. and Mrs. Steiger for serving coffee to the fire fighters.

L. J. Regusci and Family.

Notice To Taxpayers

Notice Is Hereby Given

1. That all taxes in the City of Sonoma for the year 1923-1924, on all personal property secured by real property and one-half of the taxes on real property will be due and payable on the

First Monday In October, 1923

and will be delinquent on the Third Monday in November, 1923 next thereafter at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one-half be not paid before the

First Monday In February, 1924

next at 6 o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

2. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday In January, 1924

next, and will be delinquent on the

First Monday in February, 1924

thereafter, at 6 o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that liens will attach after the

First Monday In March, 1924

at 6 o'clock p. m.

3. That all taxes may be paid at the same time when the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

4. Taxes may be paid at the City Hall on any day (Sundays excepted) between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.

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FOR SALE—1 Kresky, 1 oil brooder drinking jars, egg cases, 18 hens, chicken parks, lanterns for lighting chicken houses, 2 stands of bees, iron wheel barrow, faucets, chairs, cot, table and wire. Mrs. R. P. Bailey, 3 blocks west of Bellevue Hotel, El Verano, Cal., 4-p

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FOR SALE—Lemon cling stone peaches and plums for canning. The John Fox Ranch, phone 2-F-14. 3?

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FOR SALE—I am offering my home for sale, consists of lot 50x300, four room house, outdoor sleeping bungalow, wood shed, chicken house, brooder house, feed house. Sidewalks and gutters laid, sewer and water connections made. All for $2500. Wm. Rambo, Sonoma. 3 tfc

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LOST

LOST—During the fire of Monday night between Golf Club and Petaluma road, a brown overcoat. Finder returned to this office. 5 2tp

LOST—Brown Jersey Sweater and quilt. Return to this office.

MISCELLANEOUS

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WHEREAS, On the 12th day of July, 1921, Umberto Peracca and Maria Peracca, his wife, and Gaetano Allamanno, made and executed and delivered a certain deed of trust to the Bank of Pinole, a corporation, wherein said Umberto Peracca and Maria Peracca, his wife, and Gaetano Allamanno were, designated as parties of the first part, and the undersigned, E. M. Downer and L. E. Hart, of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, were designated as trustees and parties of the second part, and said Bank of Pinole was designated as party of the third part, as security for the payment by said Umberto Peracca, Maria Peracca and Gaetano Allamanno of certain sums with interest growing due thereon as recited and set out in said deed of trust, which said deed of trust was recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Sonoma, State of California, on the 21st day of July, 1921, in Vol. 401 of Deeds, at Page 142, Records of said Sonoma County.

And whereas, said Umberto Peracca, Maria Peracca and Gaetano Allamanno, the parties of the first part in said deed of trust have defaulted in the repayment of certain sums and the interest thereon secured by and to be repaid as provided in and by said deed of trust, and the said Bank of Pinole has declared the whole of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust to be due and payable and has requested and directed the undersigned as grantees and trustees named in said deed of trust to sell the real property hereinafter described and being the real property described in said deed of trust to satisfy said indebtedness, and has caused to be recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Sonoma, a notice of breach and election to foreclose,

And whereas, more than three months have expired subsequently thereto,

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms and under the authority of said deed of trust and in pursuance of the request and direction of the owner and holder of said deed of trust and of the promissory note in said deed of trust referred to, to secure the payment of which the aforesaid deed of trust was executed, the said E. M. Downer and L. E. Hart as such parties of the second part and trustees, hereby give notice that on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, 1923, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at the front door of the Court House in the town of Matinez, County of Contra Costa, State of California, they will sell, as such grantees and trustees, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States, that certain piece parcel, tract and lot of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15), and Sixteen (16), of Section Twenty-six (26), in Township Six (6) north of range Six (6) West, Mount Diablo Meridian, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, containing 90.73 acres.

Together with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or appertaining and the reversion and remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof; and also all the estate, right, title and interest or other claim or demand as well in law as in equity which the said trustees now have, or may hereafter acquire, of, in or to the said premises or any part thereof with the appurtenances.

Terms of Sale—Cash in gold coin of the United States.

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Dated August 28, 1923.

E. M. DOWNER,
As Trustee.
L. E. HART,
As Trustee.

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SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Sonoma School District of the County of Sonoma, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the 1st day of October, 1923, at the School House in said District, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m., and 8 o'clock p. m., during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open, at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said District to the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of raising money for making alterations and additions to the present school building; for supplying school building with furniture and necessary apparatus, and for improving the school grounds, will be voted upon.

The said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold, shall be of the denomination of One Thousand Dollars each and shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and said bonds shall be numbered from 1 to 25 consecutively, payable as follows:

Bond No. 1, One Thousand Dollars to run one year.
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Bond No. 3, One Thonsand Dollars, to run three years.
Bond No. 4, One Thousand Dollars, to run four years.
Bond No. 5, One Thousand Dollars to run five years.
Bond No. 6, One Thousand Dollars to run six years.
Bond No. 7, One Thousand Dollars to run seven years.
Bond No. 8, One Thousand Dollars to run eight years.
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Bond No. 10, One Thousand Dollars to run ten years.
Bond No. 11, One Thousand Dollars to run eleven years.
Bond No. 12, One Thousand Dollars to run twelve years.
Bond No. 13, One Thousand Dollars to run thirteen years.
Bond No. 14, One Thousand Dollars to run fourteen years.
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Bond No. 16, One Thousand Dollars to run sixteen years.
Bond No. 17, One Thousand Dollars to run seventeen years.
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Bond No. 19, One Thousand Dollars to run nineteen years.
Bond No. 20, One Thousand Dollars to run twenty years.
Bond No. 21, One Thousand Dollars to run twenty-one years.
Bond No. 22, One Thousand Dollars to run twenty-two years.
Bond No. 23, One Thousand Dollars to run twenty-three years.
Bond No. 24, One Thousand Dollars to run twenty-four years.
Bond No. 25, One Thousand Dollars to run twenty-five years.

That Joseph B. Small will act as Inspector and John Mohr and Ranald McDonnell will act as Judges of said Election, and conduct the same, said Inspector and Judges being competent and qualified electors of said School District.

In witness thereof, we have hereunto set our hands this 4th day of August, 1923.

A. M. THOMSON,
FRANK F WEDEKIND,
CARL DRESEL,
Trustees of Sonoma School District, Sonoma County, Californi...

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FETTERS SPRINGS VEGETABLE GARDEN

and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to-wit:

A. Garibaldi, residing at Fetters Springs Sonoma County, Cal.

A. Borzi, residing at Fetters Springs Sonoma County, Cal.

G. Acquistapace, residing at Fetters Springs, Sonoma County, Cal.

D. Donati, residing at Fetters Springs, Sonoma County, Cal.

Witness our hands this 6th day of September, 1923.

A. GARIBALDI,
A. BORZI,
His
G. (X) ACQUISTAPACE,
Mark
D. DONATI.

Witnesses to mark of G. Acquistapace:
Robert A. Poppe,
A. Marmori.

State of California, County of Sonoma, ss.

On this 6th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, before me, Robert A. Poppe, a Notary Public, in and for the said County of Sonoma, personally appeared A. Garibaldi, A. Borzi, G.Acquistapace and D. Donati, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and duly acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, at my office in the County of Sonoma, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

ROBERT A. POPPE,
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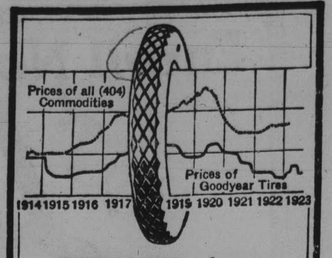

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